

FAIRBANKS IS GUEST

Addresses the Men's Club of Mount Pleasant Church.

GIVES EULOGY ON MCKINLEY

Senior Services and Last Night's Reception Attended by Large Audiences—Splendid Sermon Sunday Morning by the Pastor, Rev. M. Ross Fishburn—New Members.

Audiences that taxed the capacity of the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church were in attendance Easter morning and again last night. At the Easter service Rev. M. Ross Fishburn, pastor, preached an eloquent sermon, and on behalf of the church gave the right hand of fellowship to fifty-two new members.

Last evening the Men's Club of that church entertained a large audience at the annual "Ladies' Night" reception, at which Vice President Fairbanks delivered a notable address.

Taking as his subject, "The unrecognized Christ," and as text, John, xx:14, Mr. Fairbanks, on Easter morning, said: "Mary's failure to recognize Jesus as He appeared in the Easter garden is not in any sense a unique experience. When the Master was here among men, there were not a few whose eyes were held so that they did not recognize Him. The Samaritan woman knew not at first that it was the Messiah who sat on the well-curb beside her and spoke of thirst forever quenched by the water of life.

Blind from His Birth.
"The man blind from his birth, whose eyes were opened at Jesus' touch, did not recognize the Great Physician even when He looked into his face. The two sad-hearted men who walked with Jesus to Emmaus toward evening on the resurrection day, did not know Him.

"We find, then, that Mary's tardy recognition of Jesus is typical of the obtuseness of men and women in all the centuries.

"The world was made by Him, but the world knew Him not. Alas, that this is also, to some extent, true of those within the church. Among Christ's confessed followers there is much spiritual obtuseness.

"As His disciples we should be able to see Him in nature. An ancient writer asserted that 'the heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament showeth His handiwork.' But modern materialism denies the statements. And with every man must acknowledge that there are not a few dull-eyed seekers who fail to find in nature His by whom the worlds were made.

World as a Farce.

"Of Christ in history the same is true. Here and there are men who look at the world as a farce even when it becomes as tragic as it sometimes does. But many there are who see the signs of Christ's working in the rise and fall of nations, who believe that it was the Prince of Peace who spoke at Waterloo and Yorktown and Appomattox, who believe that the world's history is being made by Him, and that to Him we are indebted for all that is great and good in our civilization.

"In literature, too, oftentimes unrecognized, the Master may be found and known by those whose eyes are kept enough to read between the lines. Jefferson declared that at least half the books in the world's libraries were directly traceable to the Christian concept. Tennyson's 'In Memoriam' is an exposition of Christian life. His 'King Arthur' is the portrait of the forgiving Saviour. It is none other than the majestic Son of God who moves across the pages of Robert Browning. Helpful is it to realize that as we turn the pages of our greatest books, we are getting lessons from the Master even though we may not recognize Him as their author.

"Moreover, in the sphere of social and moral betterment, if we will, we may recognize the 'stately steps' of the Son of God, who was also the Son of Man. Those who in the darkest days of

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Monday, April 20, 1908—3 p. m.
Pressure is generally low tonight, with the principal centers of depression over the Lower St. Lawrence Valley and the extreme Northwest. There are light rains and snows in New England, interior N. York, Eastern Pennsylvania, along Lakes Huron, Ontario, and Eastern Erie. There are also showers in the Gulf States, Oklahoma, Kansas, and the Missouri Valley.

High temperatures continue in the Missouri and Upper Mississippi valleys, the Northwest, and the central Rocky Mountain region, ranging from 10 degrees to 37 degrees above the seasonal average. In the Lake region, New York, and New England it is quite cool.

It will be warmer Tuesday in the Ohio and Upper Mississippi valleys and the Upper Lake region, and warmer Wednesday in the Lower Lake region, New England, and the Middle Atlantic States. It will be cooler Tuesday in the extreme Northwest, and cooler Wednesday or Wednesday night in the Missouri and Upper Mississippi valleys.

The winds along the New England coast will be fresh northwesterly, to north on the Middle Atlantic coast; fresh northerly, becoming easterly Wednesday; the South Atlantic coast, to fresh and mostly southeasterly Wednesday; and on the Upper Lakes fresh northwesterly to southerly.

Steamers departing Tuesday for European ports will have fresh northwesterly to north winds, with fair weather, to the Grand Banks.

SPECIAL FORECAST.
The following crest waves are indicated for the Mississippi River between Arkansas City, Ark., and Vicksburg, Miss., on the present rise: Arkansas City, 43.5 and Greenville, Miss., 44 feet, about April 25, and Vicksburg, 47.5 feet, about April 30.

Local Temperature.

Midnight, 81; 2 a. m., 80; 4 a. m., 79; 6 a. m., 78; 8 a. m., 77; 10 a. m., 76; 12 noon, 75; 2 p. m., 74; 4 p. m., 73; 6 p. m., 72; 8 p. m., 71; 10 p. m., 70; Maximum, 81; minimum, 69.

Temperatures in Other Cities.

Temperatures in other cities, together with the amount of rainfall, for the twelve hours ended at 8 p. m. yesterday, are as follows:

	Max.	Min.	8 p. m.	Rain.
Astoria, N. C.	76	52	68	.....
Atlanta, Ga.	75	50	70	.....
Baltimore, Md.	60	40	54	.....
Bismarck, N. Dak.	86	44	80	.....
Boston, Mass.	56	36	40	.....
Buffalo, N. Y.	44	32	31	0.28
Chicago, Ill.	58	44	44	.....
Cincinnati, Ohio	74	48	69	.....
Cleveland, Ohio	68	34	62	.....
Davenport, Iowa	74	54	72	.....
Denver, Colo.	70	38	66	.....
Des Moines, Iowa	74	50	68	.....
Galveston, Texas	82	68	76	.....
Helena, Mont.	74	50	64	T.
Indianapolis, Ind.	60	36	50	.....
Jacksonville, Fla.	80	78	82	.....
Kansas City, Mo.	82	62	78	.....
Little Rock, Ark.	78	62	76	.....
Marquette, Mich.	58	34	54	.....
Memphis, Tenn.	78	62	76	.....
New Orleans, La.	88	72	80	.....
New York, N. Y.	74	48	60	.....
North Platte, Neb.	78	46	72	.....
Omaha, Neb.	84	56	78	.....
Pittsburg, Pa.	78	52	74	.....
Portland, Me.	58	34	54	.....
Salt Lake City, Utah	76	52	74	T.
St. Louis, Mo.	78	54	74	.....
St. Paul, Minn.	70	48	64	.....
Springfield, Ill.	76	56	70	.....
Vicksburg, Miss.	78	60	72	0.04

our republic broke the fetter from the wrist of the slave did so at Christ's command. Those who build our hospitals and asylums do so in His name. Those who protest against the modern enslavement of the child and provide for the physical, mental and moral well-being of the little people do so in the spirit of Him who took the children in His arms and blessed them. Those who go forth from our colleges to lay their learning upon missionary stations in far-away countries or in distant parts of our own land do so because Christ bids them go.

"In the folks about us, too, may we see Him, and through the lives which He shines, the bright face to face with Christ. Also in our own selves may the Lord of Easter Day be found, and in the voice of conscience and of our heart's desire may the voice that sung itself in Mary's soul be heard anew. Christ manifests in our craving for Christ."

Many Hear Mr. Fairbanks.
More than 700 persons were present last night and accorded Vice President Fairbanks an enthusiastic reception when he was presented by Commissioner Henry L. West with a flattering introduction. After congratulating the club upon the work in which it is engaged, he announced his gratification at seeing so many men devoted to self-improvement and to promoting the social and moral interests of the community.

"It is an assurance of substantial progress along those lines which mean the betterment of the condition of the individual, the improvement of the social and the exaltation of the State," he said.

"I believe people are coming more and more to appreciate that in the growing complexity of our civilization there is an increased necessity for organized systematic effort. The nations of the world are annually contributing hundreds of thousands of their citizens and subjects to our citizenship. Many of them come with little conception of the significance of our institutions. They come, indeed, as strangers in a strange land. The great churches, through such organizations as this, can do much to reach out to them a hospitable hand and make them good, helpful citizens."

Expanding in Power.
Following a lengthy discourse on the duty man owes his fellow-creatures, Mr. Fairbanks continued as follows:

"Our country is expanding in power. Its burdens and its responsibilities are daily increasing. It is vitally necessary that we should study its interests and expand in our ability to protect and safeguard it. Each citizen can do his share in each church organization its part. If we shall look after the individual and make him a worthy unit of the great mass, there need be no concern as to the country's fate of the world."

The Vice President's concluding remarks embodied an eloquent eulogy to William McKinley, whom he termed "the greatest of those who have contributed to the history of the world."

"Our third martyred President was the best type of American our country has produced. There has been no better statesman than he. He wore his honors with modesty. He met every responsibility which God put upon him in full measure. The story of his life should be taught in every schoolhouse and in every home."

William McKinley was broad in his sympathies. He was never actuated by narrow and selfish motives. He loved his fellow-men, and his fellow-men loved him. He carried into the work of life, the great theater where he played so conspicuous a part, the principles of a Christian gentleman. He was no hypocrite. He was a brave and sincere man, walking the arduous path of duty with self-reliance and with the respect of men of all conditions."

Assassination at Buffalo.
Referring to the scene at Buffalo, when Mr. McKinley was assassinated, the speaker's eyes became moist, and, with wavering voice, he said: "I wish that in God's providence, there were no anarchy in this world."

During his resume of the life of McKinley, the Vice President championed the cause of the late Chief Executive and the Republican party in its action in declaring and maintaining war against Spain. That the United States should hold the insular possessions until their inhabitants are able to govern themselves was upheld.

Preceding the address, Mr. Fairbanks, assisted by Commissioner and Mrs. West and Rev. M. Ross Fishburn and Mrs. Fishburn, received the guests as they filed into the auditorium.

MAY RUN DARK HORSE.

Elkins and Scott Said to Have Gubernatorial Candidacy.

Special to The Washington Herald.
Cumberland, Md., April 20.—It is said that Senators Elkins and Scott and Gov. Dawson, of West Virginia, have put their heads together with the view of securing an entirely new man for the Republican nomination for governor and that the lucky man will likely be picked from the following: Elliott Northcott, district attorney from the Southern Federal district; Circuit Judge John W. Mason, of Fairmont; and Judge Hunter Moss, of Parkersburg.

A bitter fight has been stirred up between the Elkins and Scott forces, and the move is to induce both to get out of the race. While Swisher had no opposition in the primaries, in his home county of Marion he was cut nearly 1,600 votes.

Of the three men named, among the possibilities, Mason is said to be preferred. It is openly predicted that a dark horse will come in with the consent of Elkins, Scott, and Dawson, and both Scher and Swisher will have to surrender, whether they care to do so or not.

The Wayne County Va., Republican convention refused to endorse Taft. A motion was made, but it failed of a second.

The Republican convention of Barbour County, Va., endorsed Taft for President. The delegates to the State Convention were instructed for C. S. Hayes, of Gilmer County, and to the State senatorial convention for Jacob Fisher, of Braxton County.

SENATOR FORAKER PRAISED.

Arizona State Convention Declines to Instruct Its Delegates.

Special to The Washington Herald.
Phoenix, Ariz., April 20.—The Republican Territorial convention today refused to instruct delegates or adopt resolutions endorsing any one for President.

Gov. Kibbey was chairman of one county delegation and when he found he was defeated, he instructed the delegates and endorsement of Taft, he belted followed by a few delegates besides his own county. He organized a rumble convention, which would not instruct for Taft, but endorsed him.

The regular convention adopted strong resolutions of thanks to Senator Foraker and qualified resolutions endorsing Federal and Territorial administrations.

The administration and office-holding members in the convention, and it is not believed the bolters will have a case before the national committee.

LAST HONORS FOR BALCH.

Remains of Rear Admiral Given Full Military Funeral Honors.

Special to The Washington Herald.
Annapolis, Md., April 20.—Full military honors were accorded today at the funeral of Rear Admiral George Beale Balch, U. S. N., retired, a former superintendent of the Naval Academy, who died at Raleigh, N. C., a few days ago.

The body was brought to Annapolis this afternoon, accompanied by relatives, and services held in the Academy chapel, Chaplain Henry H. Clark officiating.

The brigade of midshipmen, headed by the Academy band playing a funeral dirge, formed the official escort to the cemetery. The sounding of "taps" and firing of volleys were accorded at the grave.

The honorary pallbearers were the following retired naval officers: Rear Admirals Asa Walker, Francis A. Cook, Perry Garst, Harry Knox, and A. H. McCormick and Pay Director Thomas T. Caswell, all of Annapolis. The body bearers were eight seamen.

Middles to Take Tests Here.
Special to The Washington Herald.
Annapolis, Md., April 20.—More than 100 candidates who have been undergoing a course of study at the local preparatory schools for the last several months, left Annapolis today for Washington, where to-morrow will begin the entrance examinations for admission into the Naval Academy as midshipmen.

PICNIC FOR SAILORS

Jack Sets Los Angeles Wild and Lauds Jeffries.

BOXING BOUTS ARE PLENTIFUL

Prize Fighter Compelled to Quit Business to Escape Plaudits of Admiring Bluejackets—Dinner to Officers at Hotel—Admiral Thomas Lives Up to Reputation as Orator.

Los Angeles, April 20.—Los Angeles reached a dizzy stage today.

Boys of the fleet came ashore just for fun, and the town provided it. Crowds raced here and there, just as small boys do when the circus parade hits another corner. Men and women cheered anybody who wore a uniform.

Everything was free to Uncle Sam's boys, from street car rides to all sorts of badges that the girls insisted on pinning on the many bosoms. The exuberance of spirits was so strong that it was even reported that several notorious deadbeats hurried around town to pay what they owed. Consequently there was general jubilation.

Los Angeles not only entertained the boys, but fed and drank them. There were 3,000 of the sailors ashore. They came in from the four anchorages early. All the trolley cars stopped at Chutes Park. It is a sort of Luna Park and Dreamland place, with a menagerie, merry-go-rounds, chutes, scenic railways, baseball parks, and a deli-cious, where Murphy gives temperance lectures, and a Y. M. C. A. building, where sedate men may go in and read and find rational amusement with ping-pong and the like.

"Coney Island" could be secured all over the place, and so could libations of various kinds, while the "Girl from Brazil" did a rousing business telling fortunes.

Bee Line for Park.

The boys all made a streak for the Chutes Baseball Park as soon as they hit the place. Reason why? The Hon. James Jeffries was to be there and referee the fights. There were nearly a dozen of them, one being between sailors from the ships.

Well, Mr. James Jeffries soon arrived. You could almost have heard the cheering in New York. Some of the sober-minded folk here, who do not approve of Mr. Jeffries' line of work, and didn't know about it, thought there was an earthquake. The boys were like a run of a 12-inch gun across a target range. James Jeffries bowed and bowed and smiled, and tried to say it was the time of his life, but the boys drowned him out, and Jeffries could only bow some more and grin as he hasn't grinned since the first time he defeated Fitz.

Then the fighting began, with local attractions all with the open air. It was a good boxing, too. The crowd of the Ohio, to stand up against Lullinsky, of the New Jersey. It takes a good man to go up against Lullinsky, but Myers slayed the eight rounds all right and Jim said it was one of the best boxing bouts he ever saw.

Both Fighters Satisfied.

That satisfied both the fighters and the other boys, and when the decision was declared a draw, all hands set off in another earthquake shock, and dear old Jim was nearly mobbed by the lads and escaped to an automobile to get out of the push and save his hide.

Then there was a balloon ascension and fencing. By that time it was noon, and all hands adjourned to the open space, where there were about fifty long tables and 60 pretty girls behind them and the "Spanish bacchante" was at work.

Then there was a chase for a greased goose, and the game known as the "rescuing sailor," when Jack had to dodge this way and that and had no show to get away from his pursuers.

To-night Mayor Harmer and the fleet committee gave a dinner to Admiral Thomas and fifty-four other officers of the fleet and six newspaper correspondents who were on the fleet during the cruise.

Banquet at Hotel.

It was an elaborate affair, and took place at the Alexander Hotel. Some of the wines were more than 100 years old, and were brought especially from Spain for this dinner. Gen. Chaffee presided, and Joseph Scott was toastmaster.

H. W. O'Melveny, one of Los Angeles' lawyer orators, toasted the President, and didn't forget to say things that brought the regular army to heel. The words are full of them out here to the fleet.

Bishop T. J. Conaty, of this diocese, toasted the navy.

The Rev. "Bob" Burdette spoke on "Our guests," and Col. Amos Fries, of the regular army, told about the harbor improvements down at San Pedro, the place where Los Angeles hopes to have a seaport.

Admiral Thomas then made one of those graceful, laconic and Swisher forces, and appreciation that have made for him a reputation as a clever after-dinner speaker on this cruise.

One-half of the warrant officers of the fleet were also entertained at dinner in the King Edward Hotel. There was a band concert in Central Park by the Letter Carriers Band and fireworks at the Chutes Park.

The streets to-night are a bedlam. The swaying lanterns that hang over the street from curb to curb make the town look like a combination of the Great White Way and the red and blue light midway.

Jack is rolling all over the town in autos and hacks and on foot, and a named Jeffries has had to run away from his saloon as the dollars roll in till.

Los Angeles has gone plumb crazy and doesn't care who knows it.

CONVICTED OF ROBBERY.

A jury in Justice Barnard's court yesterday convicted Charles Roberts, alias Frank Morris, and Frank Rogers, alias William Cummings, of robbery. They were remanded for sentence.

The men were crowded in a street car, and while so crowding him, picked his pocket of a purse containing \$34. The robbery occurred on February 13 last, at Eleventh and G streets. The police say that the men have a long police record.

Colonial Club Gives Dance.

A dance was given at the Arlington last night by the Colonial Club of Washington. The club was recently organized.

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JUVENILE VOCALIST.



HELEN BURKETT, Little daughter of Senator Burkett, who will sing to-night at Foundry M. E. Church for benefit of the Boys' Social Club.

BENEFIT FOR BOYS' CLUB.

Charles H. Treat to Speak, and Little Miss Burkett Will Sing.

Charles H. Treat, Treasurer of the United States, and Miss Helen Burkett, daughter of Senator Burkett, of Nebraska, will sing at the entertainment to-night at Foundry M. E. Church for the benefit of the Boys' Club. Rev. Robert M. Moore, pastor, will deliver the introductory address. Justice Gould, of the District Supreme Court, will relate anecdotes of bench and bar.

CANNON CRITICISED BY LABOR

Delegate McCarthy Holds Him to Account for Tariff Laws.

Greatest Boycott Ever Instituted, He Tells Central Labor Union.

Memorial Day Plans.

Speaker Cannon's attitude toward organized labor and the recent boycott decisions of the Supreme Court were criticised last night by delegates to the Central Labor Union.

Jere P. McCarthy, in discussing the subject, said the greatest boycott ever instituted was established when the United States government, under a Republican administration, of which, he said, Speaker Cannon is a member, inaugurated the tariff which keeps out foreign goods.

Such action, Delegate McCarthy said, was to protect our weak industries. He said the Chinese exclusion act was the greatest blacklist ever instituted.

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NEWS OF ALEXANDRIA

City Council Will Consider \$750,000 Bond Issue.

TRYING TO PAY CITY'S DEBT

Only One Indictment Returned by Grand Jury in Circuit Court. Samuel Brent Will Not Prosecute Tyler's Wife for Bigamy—She Goes Free—Vestrymen Elected.

WASHINGTON HERALD BUREAU, (Bell Telephone 84) 28 King Street.

Alexandria, Va., April 20.—The refunding of the city debt, amounting to \$750,000 of outstanding bonds, will be taken up at a special meeting of the city council to-morrow night. The finance committee of the council will recommend that the city issue bonds in the sum of \$750,000, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent, to redeem the present indebtedness.

Members of the council do not anticipate any trouble in disposing of the bonds. Several years ago, when the city issued bonds to the amount of \$50,000 for street and sewer improvements, they brought a handsome premium and were sold quickly.

Only one indictment was returned by the grand jury in the Circuit Court for Alexandria County this morning. Judge J. B. Thornton presiding. Richard Myles, colored, is charged with the theft of a horse. The grand jury was then discharged.

In the case of Joseph Johnson, charged with gambling, the accused was fined \$50 and sentenced to fifteen days in jail. In the case of the Commonwealth against J. O. Sawyer, the accused was fined \$10 and sentenced to fifteen days in jail.